

IN THE CLAIMS

This is a complete and current listing of the claims, marked with status identifiers in parentheses. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) An electrical power ~~breaker~~circuit breaker ~~(1)~~ having comprising:

_____ ~~a housing (2) and having;~~

_____ a connecting railbar ~~(10)~~, accommodated in an opening ~~(23)~~ in the housing ~~(2)~~, the end of said connecting railbar ~~(10)~~ which protrudes into the housing ~~(2)~~ being part of a switching contact arrangement ~~(4)~~ and bearing an arcing horn ~~(11)~~ which has a fixing limb ~~(16)~~ resting on the connecting railbar ~~(10)~~, wherein

~~characterized~~

~~in that~~ at least one projection ~~(17)~~ pointing towards the connecting railbar ~~(10)~~ is formed on the fixing limb ~~(16)~~ of the arcing horn ~~(10)~~, and ~~in that~~ wherein the connecting railbar ~~(10)~~ has a recess ~~(20)~~ for the purpose of accommodating the projection ~~(17)~~.

2. (Currently Amended) The power ~~breaker~~circuit breaker as claimed in claim 1, wherein

~~characterized~~

~~in that~~ the projection ~~(17)~~ is in the form of a bent-back section on the fixing limb ~~(16)~~ of the arcing horn ~~(10)~~, and ~~in that~~ wherein the recess ~~(20)~~ of the connecting railbar ~~(10)~~ is in the form of a groove.

3. (Currently Amended) The power ~~breaker~~circuit breaker as claimed in claim 2, wherein

~~characterized~~

~~in that~~ the fixing limb (16) is dimensioned to have the same width as the connecting railbar (10), and ~~in that~~ wherein the projection (17) extends over the entire width of the fixing limb (16), and wherein the recess (20) extends over the entire width of the connecting railbar (10).

4. (Currently Amended) The power ~~breaker~~ circuit breaker as claimed in claim 3, wherein
~~characterized~~

~~in that~~ the opening (23) arranged in the housing (2) of the power ~~breaker~~ circuit breaker (1) is dimensioned such that it is matched to the cross-sectional shape of the connecting railbar (10), and ~~in that~~ wherein a collar (24) which covers the fixing limb (16) of the arcing horn (11) at the top and at the sides is integrally formed on the housing (2).

5. (Currently Amended) The power ~~breaker~~ circuit breaker as claimed in claim 1, wherein
~~characterized~~

~~in that~~ the connecting railbar (10) has an integrally formed web (26) as ~~the~~ a stop means device on the housing (2), and ~~in that~~ wherein fixing ~~means~~ devices, which grip the web (26) and can be operated from the outside on the housing (2), are provided.

6. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 1, further comprising:

a web, integrally formed on the connecting bar as a stop on the housing; and

fixing means for gripping the web and for being operated from the outside on the housing.

7. (New) An electrical power circuit breaker comprising:

a switching contact arrangement including a connecting bar, accommodated in an opening of a housing, wherein an end of the connecting bar includes an arcing horn, a fixing limb of the arcing horn resting on the connecting bar and including

at least one projection, and wherein the connecting bar includes a recess for accommodating the projection.

8. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 7, wherein the projection is in the form of a bent-back section on the fixing limb of the arcing horn, and wherein the recess of the connecting bar is in the form of a groove.

9. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 8, wherein the fixing limb is dimensioned to have the same width as the connecting bar, wherein the projection extends over the entire width of the fixing limb, and wherein the recess extends over the entire width of the connecting bar.

10. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 9, wherein the opening arranged in the housing of the power circuit breaker is dimensioned such that it is matched to the cross-sectional shape of the connecting bar, and wherein a collar which covers the fixing limb of the arcing horn at the top and at the sides is integrally formed on the housing.

11. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 7, wherein the connecting bar has an integrally formed web as a stop device on the housing, and wherein fixing devices, which grip the web and can be operated from the outside on the housing, are provided.

12. (New) The power circuit breaker as claimed in claim 7, further comprising:

a web, integrally formed on the connecting bar as a stop on the housing; and

fixing means for gripping the web and for being operated from the outside on the housing.